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## MDOC Region II Community Services Division Employees Receive Employee Service Awards

Pearl – The employee recognition awards ceremony for the Mississippi Department of Corrections (MDOC) Community Services Division Region II was held today at Central Mississippi Correctional Facility (CMCF) in Pearl, Miss. At the ceremony, five community services employees were recognized for their years of service to MDOC. Community Services Region II employees that reached a milestone in service years during first quarter include:

Name	Hometown	Years of Service
Kristen Campbell	West Point	5
Delois Craddieth	Columbus	5
Lee Sistrunk	Florence	5
Joseph Willis	Jackson	10
Patrick Brown	Magee	15

Brenda Blanks, Community Services Director for Region II, announced the names of the employees celebrating service anniversaries while Interim Deputy Commissioner of Community Service Lora Cole Commissioner Robert Johnson presented each with certificates.

"The job you do is important to public safety," said Johnson. "Most people don't see what we do – that's why we started the awards recognition program to let everyone know about the hard work our employees are doing and how important your jobs are to public safety."

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MEDIA NOTE: MDOC has digital photos of award recipients. If you are interested in receiving a photo, please call Kent Crocker at (601) 359-5616 or e-mail him at <a href="mailto:kcrocker@mdoc.state.ms.us">kcrocker@mdoc.state.ms.us</a>